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FOR ALL KINDS OF HUNTING

American League Clubs
Superior to NationalsClearly Shown by Series Played
at End of Last Season—
Other Pennant Winners.

NEW YORK, Oct. 21.—The close of the baseball season of 1916 found the American League preeminent, due to its victories in the World's series and the two city series which composed the post-season schedule of the baseball year. Of the six teams which figured in these contests the junior league won twelve of the fourteen games played.

The Boston Americans defeated the Brooklyn Nationals four out of five games; the Louis Americans won in a similar manner from their National rivals, and the Chicago Americans took four straight from the Chicago Nationals. This playing form was a sharp reversal from the result of the spring series when the National League clubs won twenty-four games out of the thirty-nine inter-

| World's Series. | | | |
|--------------------|-----|------|-------|
| | Won | Lost | P. C. |
| Boston Americans | 4 | 1 | .800 |
| Brooklyn Nationals | 1 | 4 | .200 |

| City Series. | | | |
|-------------------|-----|------|-------|
| | Won | Lost | P. C. |
| Chicago Americans | 4 | 0 | 1.000 |
| Chicago Nationals | 0 | 4 | .000 |

| | Won | Lost | P. C. |
|---------------------|-----|------|-------|
| St. Louis Americans | 4 | 1 | .800 |
| St. Louis Nationals | 1 | 4 | .200 |

| Spring Games | | | |
|-----------------------|-----|------|-------|
| | Won | Lost | P. C. |
| National League teams | 24 | 15 | .615 |
| American League teams | 15 | 24 | .385 |
| Leagues | Won | Lost | P. C. |
| American | 31 | 63 | .591 |
| National | 34 | 69 | .610 |
| International | 82 | 58 | .586 |
| American Association | 101 | 68 | .604 |
| Western | 89 | 58 | .605 |
| Eastern | 86 | 34 | .717 |
| Western Association | 61 | 29 | .678 |
| Texas | 27 | 18 | .600 |
| Northwestern | 85 | 58 | .596 |
| Ind.-Ill.-Iowa | 78 | 49 | .614 |
| Blue Ridge | 84 | 50 | .627 |
| Virginia | 53 | 40 | .570 |
| Southern | 41 | 19 | .683 |
| New York State | 40 | 14 | .741 |
| Central | 84 | 54 | .609 |
| Northern | 81 | 52 | .609 |
| Central Association | 44 | 19 | .698 |
| South Atlantic | 40 | 30 | .571 |
| Interstate | 35 | 26 | .574 |
| North Carolina | 38 | 18 | .679 |
| Dixie | 76 | 50 | .603 |
| Kitty | 37 | 23 | .617 |
| Ohio State | 30 | 13 | .693 |
| Chillicothe | 26 | 11 | .703 |
| (Two seasons) | 33 | 21 | .611 |
| | 20 | 20 | .500 |
| | 23 | 17 | .574 |
| | 35 | 14 | .715 |
| | 15 | 7 | .683 |
| | 45 | 15 | .750 |
| | 5 | 1 | .833 |

YALE WINS FROM
V. P. I., SCORE 19-0Game Was Played on a Rain-
Soaked Gridiron and during
a Drizzling Rain.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Oct. 21.—The Yale eleven defeated Virginia Polytechnic Institute on a rain soaked gridiron Friday, 19 to 0. The Blue scored three touchdowns and kicked one goal, while the Southerners never seriously threatened to score.

A fog swept over the rim of the bowl, a fine drizzle fell during most of the game and the sultry weather handicapped the players. The slippery field slowed up the Eli attack and the backs frequently stumbled and fell.

Yale started off by marching up and down the field twice in the first period for touchdowns. The plays were mostly short line plunges. After this Yale faltered and the remainder of the game was ragged. The Virginia line charged quickly and, on many occasions tackled the Yale runner before the offense had actually started.

The prettiest play occurred in the third period when Legore threw a forward pass to Gates who scored a touchdown with not an opposing player near. The pass was a fifteen-yard heave over the goal line.

Virginia could not penetrate the Yale line and attempts at forward passes generally were unsuccessful. Neville interrupted an pass and ran fifty-five yards. Virginia played a plucky game and once took the ball

SCOOP THE CUB
REPORTER

CORNELL'S FOOTBALL TALENT AS FAST THIS FALL AS LAST



Coach Dan Reed showing 'em how to hit hard.

From the speed Cornell players have shown on the gridiron so far this fall there is every reason to believe that they are going to have as fast a championship bunch as last year. Cornell's pigskin brilliance is pretty commonly acknowledged to be the result of the skillful coaching of Dan Reed, who believes in giving his men hard work and a great deal of it.

from Yale on downs on the four-
yard line. The line-up:

Yale—10. Virginia—0.

Gates Gregory

Left end.

Taft Hall

Left tackle.

Graham Parrish

Left guard.

Hutchinson A. P. Moore

Center.

Galt A. B. Moore

Right guard.

Baldridge Caffey

Right tackle.

Comerford Young

Right end.

Van Nostrand E. Rodne

Quarterback.

Bingham Mack

Left halfback.

Legore Nelson

Right halfback.

Jacques Gardner

Fullback.

Score by periods:

Yale 12 0 7 0—19

Virginia 0 0 0 0—0

Referee—Whiting, Cornell.

Umpire—Murphy, Brown.

Head linesman—Godcharles, Lafayette.

Field judge—Davis, Wesleyan.

Time of periods—12 minutes.

Yale scoring: Touchdowns—

Jacques 2, Gates. Goal from touch-

down—Comerford. Substitutions—

Yale, Zenger for Galt, Fox for Bald-

ridge, Carey for Bingham, Neville

for Legore, Braden for Jacques,

Baldridge for Fox, Jacques for Brad-

en, Virginia, Redd for Gardner,

McNeil for Parrish, Kunkhouser for

CHILTON'S SHORTAGE
CHAPTER IN HISTORYOf the State Which Still Makes
Pages Democratic Leaders
Hate to Look At.

(SPECIAL TO THE TELEGRAM)

CHARLESTON, Oct. 21.—Times fly and recollections become dim, but official actions, once recorded seldom become obliterated either from the record books or the public mind.

Way back in 1897, on November 16, to be exact, when G. W. Atkinson was governor, L. M. LaFollette auditor, J. R. Trotter superintendent of schools, and Edgar P. Rucker attorney general, M. A. Kendall, as state treasurer and as such a member of the West Virginia board of public works, made an official report to that board.

That report was made by official request, and covered the financial condition of William E. Chilton, now United States senator, who had just retired as secretary of state, but whose conduct of the office of secretary of state was reported to have been such that an investigation was asked for and made, Treasurer Kendall having been delegated to make it.

"I find," says Mr. Kendall in closing the fourth paragraph of his report, and referring to William E. Chilton, the retired secretary of state, "that his total shortage to date is \$17,580, on license tax on charters."

Part of that total was obtained by the investigation having disclosed that Mr. Chilton's report was made on domestic charters for which he charged himself \$10, where in the charters were issued to foreign corporations which had paid \$50 to the secretary of state.

"When I undertook to investigate the accounts for the sale of books and the tax on state seal, I found a condition of things which was very remarkable indeed," further says Mr. Kendall's report. "Here is an important branch of business which involves thousands of dollars during a term in the secretary of state's office, but I found no record of it whatever. If he ever kept any he must have carried it away with him. The statute prescribed that the secretary of state shall make a detailed report of these matters twice a year—in January and July, and certify it to the auditor, and assesses a heavy fine for failure to do so."

"But I find that during his entire term Mr. Chilton made but one report to the auditor and I do not consider that report within the meaning of the statute, for he simply makes a bald statement of the amount received."

Mr. Kendall reported that he had no means of verifying reports made after Mr. Chilton's retirement from office but says "I have made a comparison between the business in these lines during his administration and the same as reported for the first eight months of the present administration and find that the average per month during Mr. Chilton's administration for tax on seals as reported by Mr. Dawson is \$118.37. The average per month during Mr. Chilton's administration for the sale of books as reported is \$143.11. The average per month from the same source as reported by Mr. Dawson is \$298.95."

"By adding the amount which he reports as his shortage on the sale of books and tax on seals, to the amount of shortage in license tax on charters, I find the total amount to be \$23,589.32. This of course is only the principal."

"During my investigation I made the further discovery that notwithstanding the fact that our statutes require the secretary of state to immediately turn all money collected by him into the treasury, Mr. Chilton had in his possession during and since his term of office money belonging to the state as follows:

"Average amount first year, \$7,883.

"Average amount second year, \$15,007.

"Average amount third year, \$26,589.32. At six per cent per annum the interest on these amounts is \$5,689."

"Average amount fourth year, \$29,779."

"Average amount fifth year, \$32,868.32. At six per cent per annum the interest on these amounts is \$5,689."

"Average amount sixth year, \$35,957.64. At six per cent per annum the interest on these amounts is \$5,689."

"Average amount seventh year, \$39,046.96. At six per cent per annum the interest on these amounts is \$5,689."

"Average amount eighth year, \$42,136.28. At six per cent per annum the interest on these amounts is \$5,689."

"Average amount ninth year, \$45,225.60. At six per cent per annum the interest on these amounts is \$5,689."

"Average amount tenth year, \$48,314.92. At six per cent per annum the interest on these amounts is \$5,689."

"Average amount eleventh year, \$51,404.24. At six per cent per annum the interest on these amounts is \$5,689."

"Average amount twelfth year, \$54,493.56. At six per cent per annum the interest on these amounts is \$5,689."

"Average amount thirteenth year, \$57,582.88. At six per cent per annum the interest on these amounts is \$5,689."

"Average amount fourteenth year, \$60,672.20. At six per cent per annum the interest on these amounts is \$5,689."

"Average amount fifteenth year, \$63,761.52. At six per cent per annum the interest on these amounts is \$5,689."

OIL AND GAS
DEVELOPMENT
OF TRI-STATELatest Reports of Operations In
West Virginia, Pennsylv-
ania and Ohio.

Another ten cent advance in the credit balance market yesterday brought the quotation for crude of the Pennsylvania grade up to \$2.60, the high point reached on March 17 and maintained until July 29, when it started to decline and on August 15 touched 2.30. The three recent advances of ten cents each, restores all of the loss and operators and producers are much elated over the upward turn.

When the Joseph Seep Purchasing Agency opened yesterday morning all eastern grades were marked up ten cents, except Ragland, which was advanced five cents.

The last advance in the market will to an extent stimulate greater activity in the fields. Operators have maintained that they could not drill in the kind of territory at hand on a low market, but will now renew the effort in the old fields and again take up the search for new producing territory. There will probably not be a great deal of that kind of work started this fall and winter but with the return of spring there will be a general effort made in that direction.

On Coon run, McClellan district, Doddridge county, W. Va., the Carter Oil Company drilled its No. 3 on the W. F. Foley farm through the Big Injun sand and showing for a ten barrel pump. In the Burning Springs district, Wirt county, Roberts Brothers completed and shot Nos. 97 and 98 on the Rathbone tract and both are light pumps in the first Cow Run sand.

On the Little Kanawha river, Sherman district, Calhoun county, the Hope natural Gas Company drilled a second test on the G. Rice farm into what is thought to be the Big Injun sand and it is showing for an oil producer. The sand was reached at a depth of 2,169 feet and as soon as the well began to show oil drilling was suspended to erect tankage. This location is two and one-half miles northeast of the same company's test on the Daniel Huffman farm, completed several months ago and showed for a good producer.

Shooting old wells is of frequent occurrence in the old fields. Operators are having nothing undone to keep the old producers giving up their maximum of production. In Union district, Clay county, the United Fuel Gas Company gave No. 6 on the Frank Cox farm a shot and increased its production from five to thirty-five barrels a day. In the old Blue creek field, Elk district, Kanawha county, all of the old wells have been shot one or more times. Shooting helps for a time but the wells soon drop back to or below their former production. A large number of the old wells in this district have been pulled up and abandoned.

Duster on Del. Run.

In the Thirty foot development on Dent's run, Mannington district, Marion county, the Chalmers Oil and Gas Company drilled its test on the Jones heirs' farm through the sand and found it barren. This location is one-half mile east of the big producer on the Higginbotham farm. In the upper end of the field the old wells are consistent producers as the following gauges show: F. W. Bartlett No. 3, Z. E. Batson, 265 barrels; Delmar Oil Company No. 24 John L. Hays, 372 barrels; Hickman and Huffman No. 3 Alfred Kendall, 340 barrels; South Penn Oil Company No. 2 Hoard-Batson, 154 barrels, and Clayton Oil Company No. 1 W. Z. Hays, ninety barrels.

In McKim district, Pleasants county, the Engle Run Oil Company has a five-barrel pump in the Cow Run sand at No. 13 on the A. J. Holden farm. In the same district the Ote Oil Company's No. 34 on the M. E. Holden farm is a duster in the Cow Run sand.

The rig for No. 39 has been com-
pleted.

In Greenbrier district, Doddridge county, the M. C. and S. Oil Company's second test on the William Suttor farm is a gasser in the Big Injun sand. In the same district the Hope Natural Gas Company is drilling at 2,300 feet at a test on the Sanford Sutton farm.

Southeastern Ohio.

In the new deep sand development in southeastern Ohio, located east Brinkhaven, Richland township, Holmes county, Humphreys and Company drilled a test on the Hod Majors farm through the Clinton sand and it shows for a ten barrel pump. This location is 700 feet southeast of the test on the R. W. Robinson farm.

In the shallow sand territory, Lawrence township, Washington county, William Reader completed No. 5 on the Mary J. Wallace farm and has a twenty-five barrel producer. In the Macksburg district the Rado Oil Company's No. 15 on the Lena Crum farm is a five barrel pump in the Berea grit. C. H. Hammond and Company's No. 23 on the John Ritterback farm and Clure E. Smith and Company's No. 5 on the S. Dimmerling farm are both light pumps.

Southwest Pennsylvania.

In the Bellevue district, Allegheny county, the South Penn Oil Company Midland division, completed and shot its test on the Bahl farm and it shows for a ten or twelve barrel pump. At Mt. Nebo, in the same district, the McCrea heirs have completed a second test on their own farm. It is a gasser in the Fifth sand.

The Oil Market.

The prices paid for oil of various grades by the purchasing agencies are:

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|------------------------|--------|
| Pennsylvania | \$2.60 |
| Mercer Mercer black | 2.10 |
| New Castle | 2.10 |
| Corning | 2.10 |
| Cabell | 2.12 |
| Somerset | 1.95 |
| Ragland | .90 |
| North Lima | 1.43 |
| South Lima | 1.43 |
| Wooster | 1.65 |
| Indiana | 1.28 |
| Princeton | 1.47 |
| Illinois | 1.47 |
| Kansas and Oklahoma | .90 |
| Plymouth | 1.08 |
| Hemlock | .40 |
| Corliss light | .40 |
| Do heavy | .40 |
| Electra | .90 |
| Henrietta | .90 |
| Thrall | .90 |
| Strawn | .90 |
| Moran | .90 |
| Crichton | .60 |
| De Soto | .80 |
| 32-34.9 deg. gr. Cad. | .75 |
| 35-37.9 deg. gr. Cad. | .80 |
| 38 deg. above gr. Cad. | .90 |
| Caddo crude | .65 |
| Canada | 1.83 |

South Africa's diamond industry is to be revived.

PUBLIC SALE.

On Wednesday, November 1st, 1916, the undersigned will sell, at public auction, on the premises of the late Caroline F. Cropp, two and one-half miles north of Bridgeport, the following described personal property:

Three hay stacks
Two hogs
Four good Jersey cows
One 2 year old heifer, calf at side.
One lot of chickens
One lot of corn in shock
Lot of wheat and oats
Household and kitchen furniture.

And at the same time and place the undersigned, by authority vested in him by the last will and testament of the said Caroline F. Cropp, will offer for sale the following described real estate:

A certain tract of land, containing about SIXTY-THREE acres, situate on Ann's Run of Simpson Creek, well adapted to grazing and agricultural purposes. This farm is within the limits of a well-defined and fertile gas field and all mineral rights will be included in the sale, subject to a lease now held by the Hope Natural Gas Company.

TERMS:—Personal property: amounts to \$5,000, cash, sums over \$500, a credit of six months.

Real Estate: One-third cash; balance on a credit of twelve and eighteen months in equal payments; personal security and vendor's lien, deferred payments to bear interest.

GEORGE P. CROPP,
Executor of the Estate of Caroline F. Cropp, Deceased. Grafton, R. F. D. No. 5, W. Va.

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